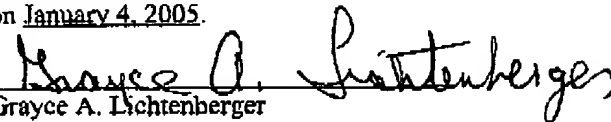


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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312

Applicant files this Amendment/Response After Allowance Under 37 CFR § 1.312 to rectify several types of typographical errors made in the response to the Final Office action mailed in the captioned application on May 21, 2004. Consideration and entry is respectfully requested.



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Applicant believes that the amendments indicated herein embody formal changes in the indicated claims without changing the scope of the claims (See MPEP 714.16(d)).

As to the requirements noted in MPEP 714.16 (which likely do not apply to such amendments):
(A) These amendments are needed to correct minor inadvertent errors noticed during final review of claims after allowance. (B) Because the respective amendments pertain to the presence of "the" or "a," these amendments require no additional search or examination. (C) The claims are patentable for reasons previously presented, and (D) the amendments herein were not presented earlier because these minor errors leading to these amendment were noticed only during final claim review after allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Explanations begin on page 6 of this paper.